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JUNIOR SCARAB

YEARBOOK
BENTON
MIDDLESCHOOL
1959



Danny Alexander

JUNIOR SCARAB

1959

The graduating class of 1959 wishes to present this edition of the Junior Scarab as a memento of the two most memorable years of our lives.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the faculty, to our principal, Mr. Doty, and to everyone who has helped in anyway to make our memories pleasant.





JUNIOR SCARAB
1958-1959

The Eighth Grade Class
of
Webster Junior High School

EDITOR
Bob Hickman

BUSINESS MANAGER
Mary Beth Pugh

CO-SPONSORS
Iris L. Rea
Gertrude Wanstreet

Superintendent
of
Schools

Frank
Hayse



Benton Community Consolidated Schools, District 47
B.S. In Elementary Education, S.I.U.
M.S. In School Administration, S.I.U.
37 years of teaching in this District
8 years classroom teacher
28 years as a principal and teacher
24 years as Junior Ranger Coach
16 year-Secretary-Manager of Junior High School
The Board of Control

Organizations

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks
National Education Association
American Association of School Administrators
Schoolmasters' Club
Illinois Agricultural Association
Illinois Educational Association
Illinois Elementary School Principals' Association
Hobby-"Preparing Today's Children for Tomorrow's
Way of Life."

WEBSTER

B. J. H. S.

R. Earl Doty-----	Principal of Webster Junior High
Kathryn Briley-----	Eighth Grade Block
Gertrude Wanstreet-	Eighth Grade Block
Ruby Baker-----	Seventh Grade Block
Gene Alexander-----	Arithmetic
Mamie Dillon-----	Seventh Grade Block
Mildred Pearce-----	Science
Charles Moore-----	7 th and 8 th Grade Block
Sherwood Pace-----	Health and Physical Education
Iris L. Rea-----	Health and Physical Education
Florence Hungate---	Arithmetic, Science, Special English
Robert Jackson-----	Art
Dorothy Stewart----	Band
Florence Bortoletto	School Nurse

BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Hugh Harten
Dr. Harry Lewis
Wayne Battle
Charles Toler
William Joiner

Faculty

JUNIOR HIGH FACULTY



Seated: Bertha Jones, Ruby Baker, Gertrude Wanstreet, Iris Rea, Mildred Pearce, Mammie Dillon, Katherine Briley, Florence Hoggate, Dorothy Stewart,
Standing: Sherwood Pace, Charles Moore, Earl Doty, Gene Alexander, Robert Jackson



ALMA

MATER

Class of 1959



Autographs

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Back Row: J. Spencer, B. Slayton, R. Goessman, H. Jerrells, K. Burzynski, B. Owens, R. Edwards, D. Wright

2nd Row: Mrs. Wanstreet, D. Wyant, J. Willis, J. Stringer, C. Kramer, D. Spain, J. Morris, C. McEndree

1st Row: R. Stahlheber, S. Pyszka, P. Treece, A. Patterson, L. Doty, J. Summers, L. Dallape, L. Williams



Back Row: T. Workman, R. Morris, J. Ketterman, K. Wheat, M. Livesay, B. Sullivan, L. Gibbs, C. Stewart, R. Davis
 2nd Row: Mrs. Briley, R. Lampley, D. McAlpin, S. Grammer, C. Gulley, B. Heiple, E. Doty, Principal
 3rd Row: J. Harris, S. Hall, G. Van Leer, J. Pate, S. Parks, B. Woodland, B. Sims, O. Hulsizer, M. Alldredge



Back Row: D. Neal, M. Norman, R. Threldkeld, M. Gulley B. Wilkerson, G. Robinson, W. McCommons, E. Winemiller
 2nd Row: Mrs. Jones, S. Simpkins, B. Stull, J. Craig
 3rd Row: S. Eubanks, J. Overturf, B. Snider, C. Whittington, R. Saniers, A. Knight, C. Miles, N. Norman, S. Hood

SCIENCE



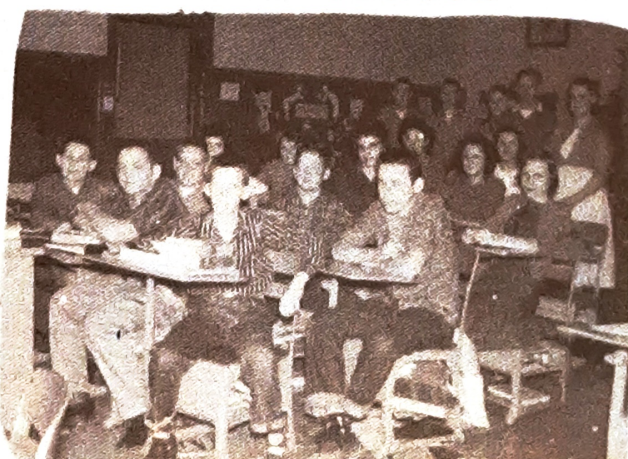


Back Row: T. Woodland, R. Adams, E. Sullivan, W. Trapper, J. Holman, A. Pierson, E. Doty, Principal
 2nd Row: C. Moore, B. Leffler, A. Bullington, H. Smith, R. Hickman, J. Monroe, J. Conners
 3rd Row: J. Carter, C. Smith, M. German, M. McKendree, C. Reed, E. Somers, L. Lewis, B. Stowers, L. Treadwell

Back Row: B. Applegate, B. Martin, A. Bryant, D. Piazza, L. Spillman, R. Cardwell, B. Shaw, T. Colbrook
 2nd Row: G. Alexander, J. Johnson, T. Willis, E. Kelley, C. McMahon, E. Doty
 3rd Row: M. Pugh, D. Prior, R. Hawkins, J. Stewart, R. Summers, F. Stewart, L. Higginson, J. Wilkerson, K. Hendrix

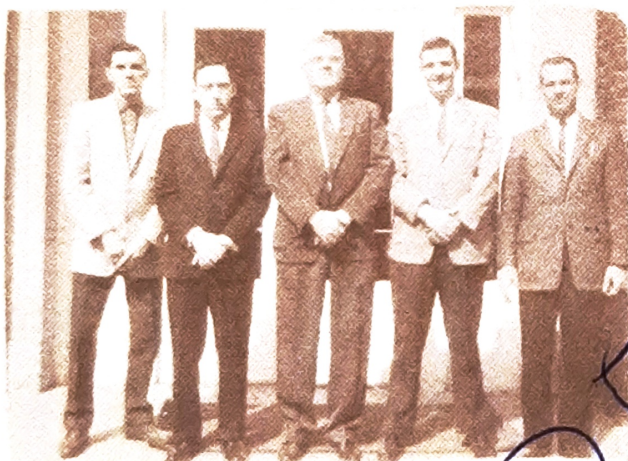
GOON PLATOON

ROOM - 9 - BLOCK





PHOTOGRAPHERS



GENTLEMEN
"WHEELS"



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Class Will

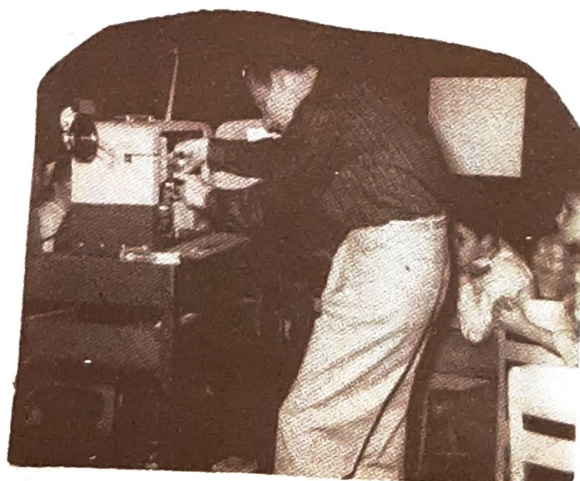
Kenneth Burzynski wills his P.E. shorts to Vicki Lampley.
Linda Dallape wills her ponytail to Pam Blondi.
Letha Doty wills her majorette boots to David Webster.
Roger Edwards wills his beautiful white bucks to Paul Lampley.
Rodney Goessman wills his flattop to Marilyn Lewis.
Hal Jerrells wills his height to Clark Hunter and his starry eyes to Jama Holloway.
Carolyn Kramer wills her red tights to David Barton.
Cheryl McEndree wills her tight jeans to Kenneth Johnson.
Jo Ann Morris wills her figure to Linda Galloway.
Bill Owens wills his portable radio to Dennis Griffith.
Anna Mae Patterson wills her conscience to Carolyn Bettress.
Shirley Pyszka wills her report card to Jo Dee Swigonski.
Billy Slayton wills his room six seat to Robert Slayton.
Jeff Spencer wills his P.E. uniform to Larry Summers.
Juva Stringer wills her long hair to Ellen Stella.
Janice Summers wills her shoe skates to Carolyn Bulington and her softball uniform to Roy "Sandy" Forsythe.
Phyllis Treece wills her beauty and charm to David Tasky.
Lynn Dee Williams wills her portable radio to Brenda Tasky.
Jim Willis wills his wavy hair to Wayne Absher.
David Wright wills his waistline to Teddy Mitchell.
David Wyant wills his shotgun to Sharon Fitzgerald.
Tom Workman wills his loud mouth to Wally George.
Donna Hulsizer wills her weight to Peggy McIlvain.
Judy Pate wills her petticoat to Nancy Jenkins.
Jody Harris wills her baby shoes to Sharon Pinkham.
Gretchen Van Leer wills her brains to Carol Sue Frailey?
Ronnie Lampley wills his pimples to Wayne Kern.
David McAlpine wills his curly hair to Wayne King.
John Kettelman wills his brains to Gene Young.
Sharon Hall wills her curly hair to Jane Potts.
Robert Davis wills his sixguns to Bruce Meadows.
Betty Woolard wills her goodlooks to Linda Collins.
Kenneth Wheat wills his flattop to Don Frick.
Sharon Grammer wills her grades to Russell Smith.
Richard Morris wills his basketball uniform to Paula Wilkerson.
Madeline Alldredge wills her height to John Finley.
Mike Livesay wills his engineer boots to Sandra Glover.
Clydean Gulley wills her brains to Linda Knight.
Bonita Heiple wills her short hair to Mack Karnes.
Shirley Parks wills her giggle to Barbara Rusher.
Brenda Sims wills her long blonde hair to Richard Gilliam.
Charles Stewart wills his curly hair to DeWayne Drew.
Bobby Sullivan wills his straight A's to Harold Miller.

Carol Ann Whittington wills her cheerleading skirt to Phyllis Absher.
Brenda Stull wills her winsome smile to Charles Toler.
Nancy Norman wills her ponytail to Mary Battle.
Mike Gulley wills his flattop to Gary Bettis.
Bonnie Snider wills her good grades to Wendy Williams.
Audrey Knight wills her chatter to Danny Fowler.
Billy Wilkerson wills his manly stature to Ronie Sample.
Don Neal wills his scoreboard position to Megan Sanders.
Zack Smith wills his hair way to Carol Milton.
Iris Stewart wills her white glasses to Carol Hobbs.
Mary Beth Pugh wills her job selling popcorn to Ava Akin.
Mike Norman wills his ability with girls to Mike Lynch.
Richard Threldkeld wills his pink hair to Judy Lewis.
Wesley McCommons wills his brains to Jerry Hall.
Gary Robbers n wills his orange hair to Brenda Cook.
Sharon Simpkins wills her chemise to Johnny Cook.
Judy Overturf wills her sac dress to Terry Duncan.
Sandy Eubanks wills her figure to Joe Davis.
Tim Wills wills his job as sports editor to Weymouth Wallace.
Linda Figgerson wills her southern accent to Deloris Funcanan.
Elmo Kelly wills his appointment in the office to Dixie Glover.
Ranelle Summers wills her stately grace to Dorothy Sanders.
Jesse Craig wills his ability to make friends to John Payne.
Leona Hood wills her long eyelashes to Pam Webb.
Carol Miles wills all her friends to Roger Dallape.
Rosemary Sanders wills her flowing locks to Susan Bullington.
Elsworth Winemiller wills his shyness to Larry Amsbury.
Judy Jeffries wills her red hair to Mike Adams.
Bill Applegate wills his bulky figure to Sydney Ludwig.
Gene Barnfield wills his enchanting smile to Sharon Burzynski.
Ronald Bryant wills his good grades to Earl Summers.
Ronald Cardwell wills his admiring glances to Carolyn Hall.
Ramona Hawkins wills her long hair to Anna Mayeski.
Marilyn Hendricks wills her alibi for Friday absence to Sharon Cardwell.
Bob Martin wills his boldness to Mike Franklin.
Carolyn McMahon wills her giggles to Thersa Trapper.
Don Piazza wills his 6 foot frame to Sherry Schleicher.
Linda Prior wills her red hair to Eric Sneed.
Bob Shaw wills his good grades to James Isaacs.
Larry Spillman wills his interest in Junior High School next year to Patricia Kimmel.

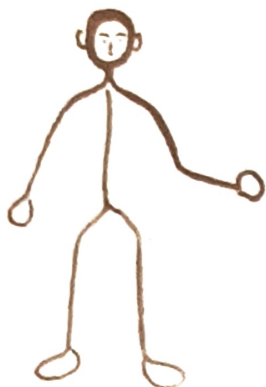
Frankie Stewart wills her French accent to Billie Lampley.
Jeanette Wilkerson wills her class knowledge to Judy Drake.
Ted Wilkerson wills his A's to Joe Kleine.
Roy Adams wills his grin to Sandra Cardwell.
Alan Bullington wills his artistry to Janet Lampley.
Janet Carter wills her cheerfulness to Ronald Baumgarte.
Luella Conner wills her fingernails to Judy Supancic.
Maureen German wills her size 12 shoes to Jimmy Rice.
Bob Hickman wills his lack of intelligence to Bob Burnett.
Jack Holman wills his tennis shoes to Gloria Hankins.
Brenda Lefler wills her gray hair to Dennis Hefner.
Linda Lewis wills her brown eyes to Paulette Fletcher.
Marsha McEndree wills her crew-cut to Rosemary Glover.
Jack Monroe wills his '59 Mercury to G.A. Higgins.
Gale Moss wills his blue hair to Linda Walden.
Alan Pierson wills his bulky figure to Phyllis Bettis.
Carolyn Reed wills her Harley Davison Motorcycle to Richard Bethel.
Carol Smith wills her soft hair to Gary Gosnell.
Harold Smith wills his ability to get into arguments to Wanda Dreon.
Brenda Stowers wills her teachers to John Robert Gulley.
Ernest Sullivan wills his motorcycle jacket to Tommy Bear.
Eugenia Somers wills her ability to roller skate to Judy LaPorte.
Walter Trapper wills his willingness to Alan Burwell.
Leigh Treadwell wills her octopus doll to Kim Smith.
Harry Woodland wills his love of girls to Charles Bennett.
Linda Boomer wills her love of boys to Mary Wheeler.



GO! GO! GO!



VISUAL ED



SEVENTH GRADE CLASSES





Back Row: D. Drew, R. McClerrin, D. Webster, M. Osborne, W. Roberts, J. Kliene, J. Isaacs, R. Slayton, J. Smith
 3rd Row: Mrs. Hungate, J. Hollaway, P. Kimmel, G. Martin, S. Burzynski, B. Rusher, C. Laporte
 2nd Row: T. Trapper, A. Mayeski, N. Baker, S. Rock, S. Lamply, S. Cardwell, P. Wilkerson, L. Rea
 1st Row: K. Tate, A. Shoppell, J. Davis, J. Sandusky, M. Adams, T. Mitchell





Back Row: C. Woodrow, D. Knight, P. Rogers, L. Kondritz, J. Pemberton, B. Meadows, P. Spain, J. Wiggins, C. Bennett, P. Wilson
 3rd Row: Mrs. Baker, N. Cook, A. Akin, J. Swiganski, L. Knight, P. Llester, S. Schleicher, J. Lewis, W. Wallace, Mr. Doty
 2nd Row: J. Supancic, B. Miles, C. Bettress, C. Bullington, M. Prior, A. Burwell, M. Wheeler, S. Fitzgerald, E. Pickett, B. Lampley
 1st Row: S. Ditmer, J. Welch, D. Burberry, R. Summers, R. Dallop, G. Ray



HEADACHES



SPONSORS



Back Row: L. Shockley, J. Payne, D. Taskey, E. Sneed, W. Kern, M. Lynch, J. Hall, R. Baumgarte, F. Keigly, L. Amsbury, E. Doty
 3rd Row: I. Rea, B. Stone, V. Lampley, S. Hobbs, P. Hutchison, W. Spain, M. Johnson, P. Bates, J. Eubanks, B. Woodrow
 2nd Row: G. Hankins, S. Ludwig, P. Webb, G. Herrmann, J. Potts, M. Kirkman, L. Waldren, R. Sanders, S. McKean
 1st Row: T. Hammonds, L. McClintock, V. Carter, H. Johnson, M. Franklin, S. Summers, B. Burnett

MR. JACKSON'S ARTISTS



HEALTHY GALS





Back Row: J. Cook, J. Rice, T. Sears, R. Gilliam,
R. Bethel, A. Wyant, J. Mossman, C. Hunter, R.

Hammon

3rd Row: Miss Pearce, L. Wayman, B. Threewitt, L.
Collins, B. Taskey, B. Cook, K. Johnson, P. Lampley,
E. Doty

2nd Row: W. Dreon, M. Varley, J. Johnson, M. Owens,
J. Drake, R. Glover, J. Hendrix, N. Hood, M. Jones

1st Row: S. Forsythe, K. Smith, D. Griffity, G.
Gosnell, D. Hefner, J. Gulley, S. Sluzevich, J.
Reynolds, T. Duncan

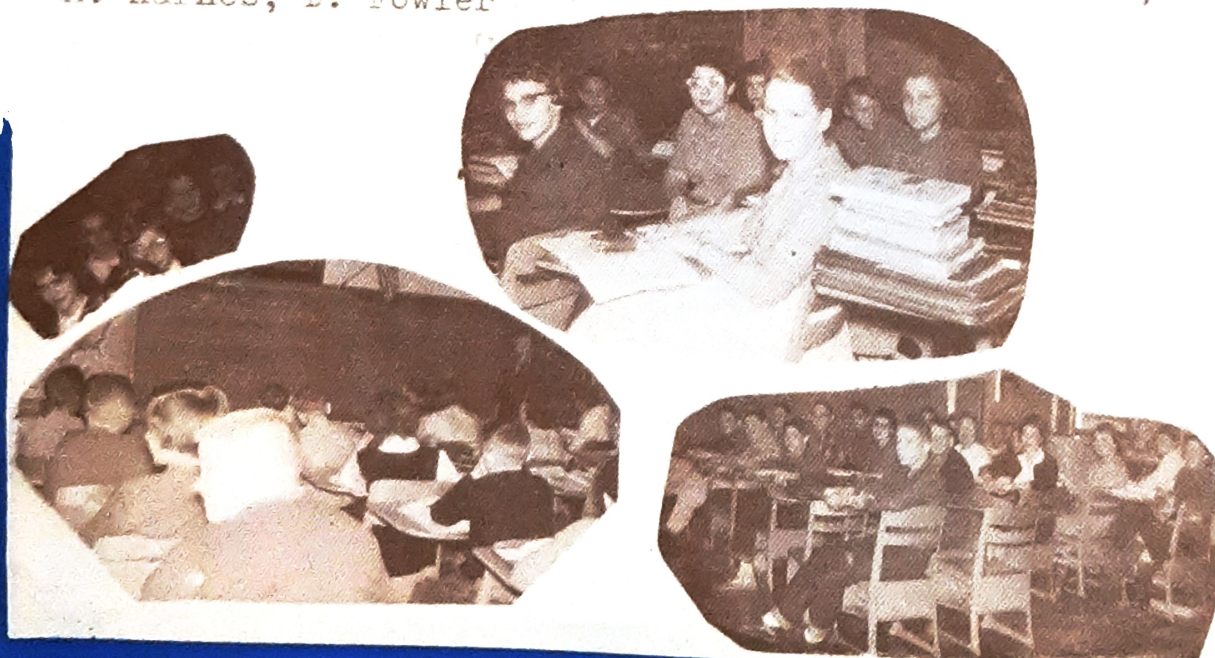


RHYTHM





Back Row: R. Sample, J. Finley, W. Absher, D. Frick,
 G. Young, R. Smith, W. George, H. Miller, G. Bettis,
 C. Toler
 3rd Row: Miss Dillon, M. Sanders, L. Galloway, M.
 Battle, D. Glover, P. Blondi, S. Glover, J. Reed,
 E. Doty
 2nd Row: R. Garrett, D. Funcannon, N. Jenkins, D.
 Sanders, P. McIlvain, W. Williams, M. Lewis, C.
 Milton, E. Stella
 1st Row: J. Davis, D. Barton, W. King, L. Summers,
 M. Karnes, D. Fowler



JUNIOR SCARAB STAFF

PRESENTS

8th Grade
Bob Hickman
Tim Willis
Jody Harris
Rodney Goessman
Ranelle Summers
David McCalpin
Mary Beth Pugh
Janice Summers

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

AMERICAN LEGION AWARD

The Stanley McCollum Post of the American Legion annually presents an award to the outstanding eighth grade boy and girl. The recipients are chosen by their classmates according to scholarship, service, leadership, courage, and honor.

The winners of this very coveted award are a deep secret until the announcement is made by members of the post on graduation night.

The 1958 award winners were Mary Taylor and Danny Alexander.

1959 AMERICAN LEGION ESSAY WINNERS

First-Jo Ann Morris, Second-Janice Summers
Third-Ann M. Patterson and Kenneth Burzynski
Honorable Mention-Deloris Fancanan, Don Frick



Yearbook Staff



Sitting left to right: Ranelle Summers, Jody Harris, Janice Summers, Mary Beth Pugh, Rodney Goessman, David McCalpin, Tim Willis, Bob Hickman
Standing: Gertrude Wanstreet, Iris Lea

THE
STAFF
MEETS



Newspaper Staff

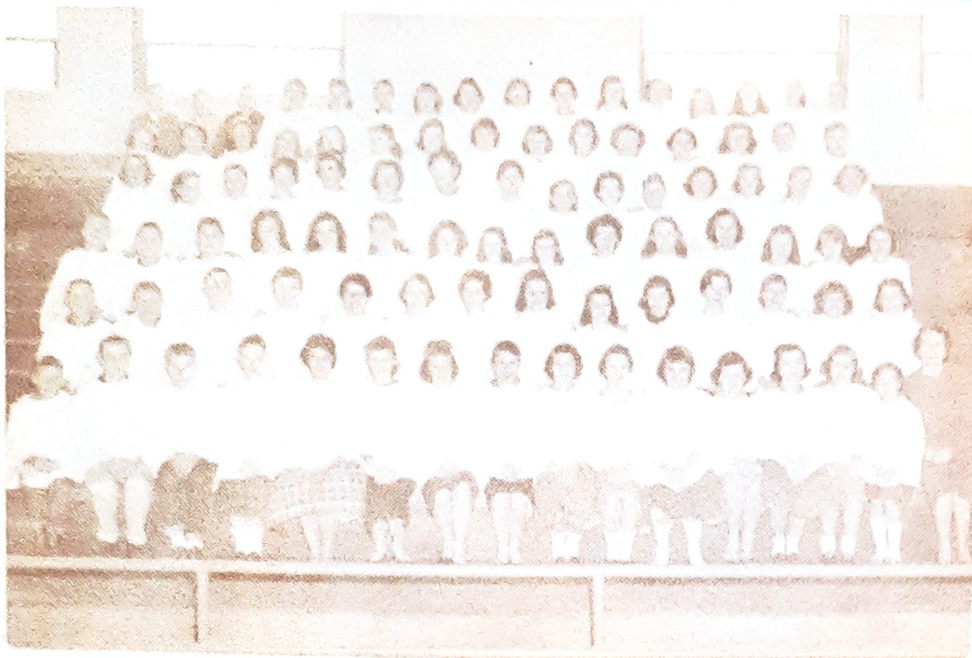
Bob Hickman-Editor
Tim Willis-Sports
Jody Harris-8th Grade Gossip
Rodney Goessman-Special Editorials
Ranelle Summers-Honor Roll & Articles
David McCalpin-Art
Mary Beth Pugh-Circulation
Janice Summers-Editorials
Jama Holloway-7th Grade Gossip
Anna Mae Mayeski-Top 10 Tunes
Mary Susan Wheeler-Activities
Sue McKean-Food and Reports
Rosemary Glover-Jokes
Wendy Williams-Articles and Activities



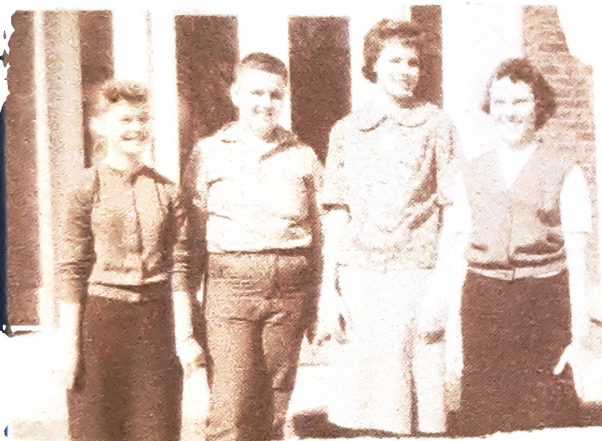
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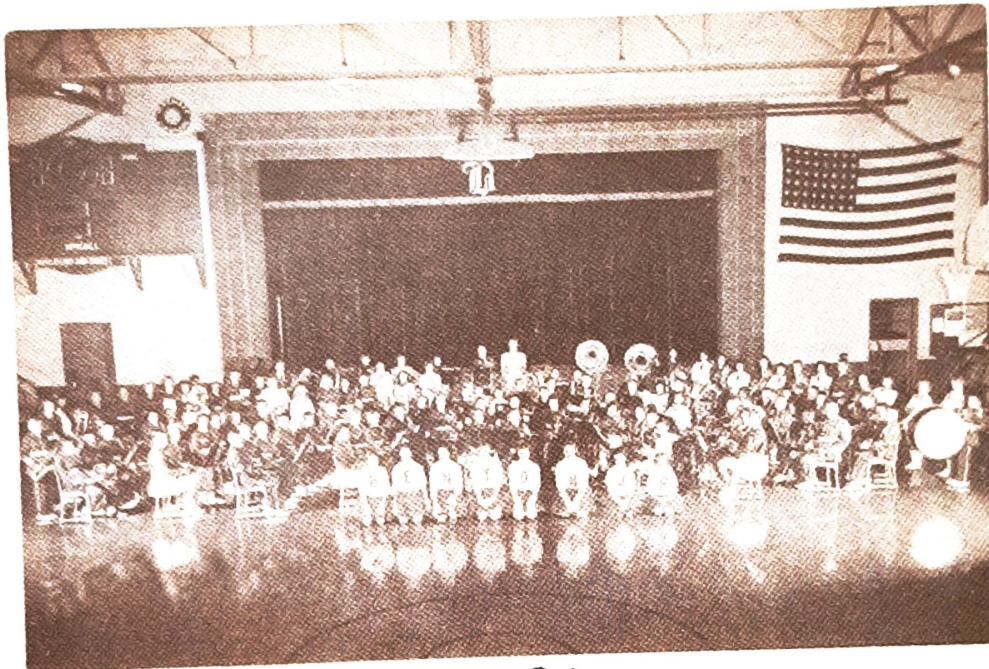
OFFICERS



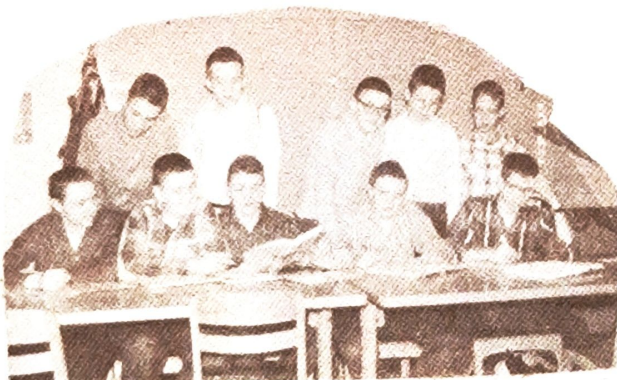
8TH BAND ROOM



SWEATER GIRLS - TWIRLERS



GRADE SCHOOL BAND



Band

JUNIOR HIGH BAND

Cornet

Rodney Goessman
Kenneth Burzynski
John Finley
Ronnie Sample

Trombone

Bill Owens
Joe Davis
Don Frick

Oboe

Nancy Jenkins

Bass Clarinet

Dixie Glover

French Horn

Dolores Funcannon
Wayne Abscher

Clarinets

David Wrights
Mack Karnes
Harold Miller
Wally George
Russel Smith
Linda Galloway
Sandra Glover
Ellyna Stella

Tenor Saxophone

Carolyn Krammer

Baritone Saxophone

Anna May Patterson

Baritone

David Barton

Percussion

Linda Dallans
Jim Willis
Jo Ann Morris
Lynn Williams
Marilyn Lewis
Pam Blondi

Flute

Carol Milton

Bass

Roger Edwards
Jeff Spencer



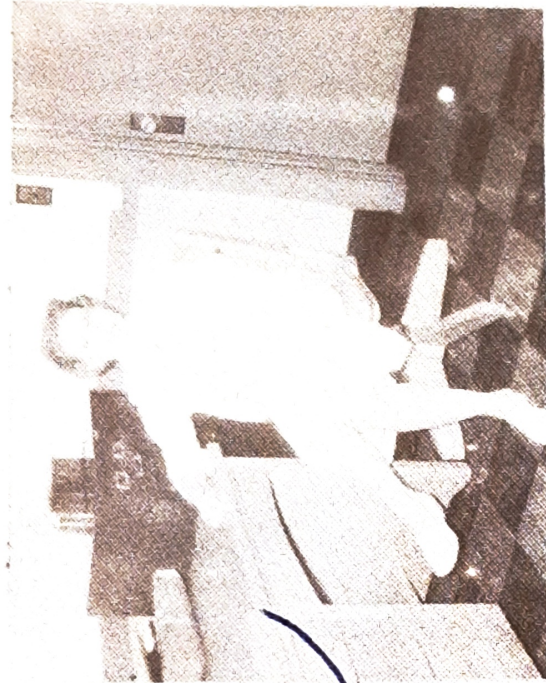
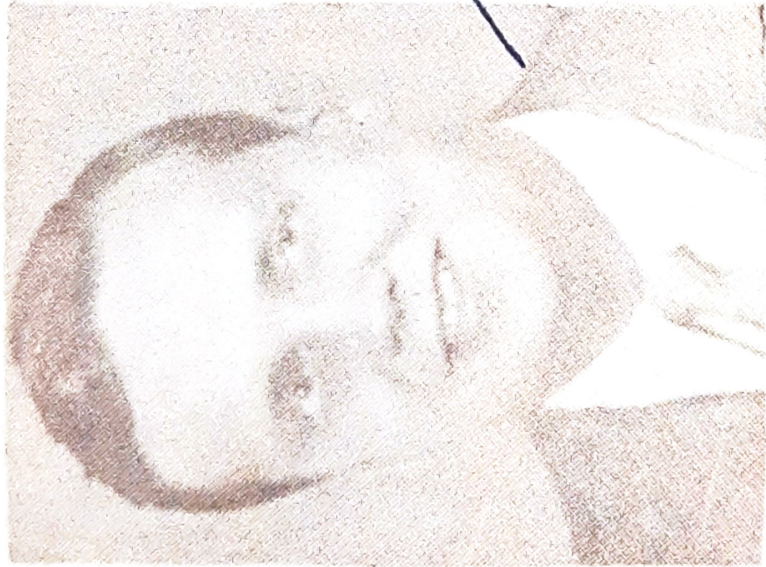
THE MAESTRO



HOME ROOM

School Nurse

Florence Bortoletto



Webster Junior High wishes to express its appreciation to Dr. Mary M. Johnson and Dr. Richard M. Johnson for the health forums conducted each year.

SPORTS

8TH GRADE TEAM

SPORTS



Kneeling: Jody Harris, Sharon Hall, Judy Pate, Gretchen Van Leer

Seated: Mike Norman, Richard Threlkeld, David Wyant, Bob Hickman, Jack Monroe, Larry Spillman

Standing: Coach Pace, Mike Culley, Ray Adams, Richard Morris, Billy Owens, and Manager, David Wright

7th GRADE TEAM



Cheerleaders: L. to R.- Elynn Stella, Vicky Lampley,
Sharon Fitzgerald, Jane Potts
Basketball Boys: Sitting L. to R.- Bruce Meadows,
Charles Bennett, Sammy Bluzevich, Sam Dittmer, Paul
Lampley, Jonny Sandusky, David Tasky, Mike Franklin
Standing L. to R.- Manager, Ted Mitchell, Clark Hunter,
Roger Dallape, Don Frick, Fred Kondritz, Kenneth
Tate, Coach: Sherwood Pace, Gene Young, Ronnie Samole,
Mack Karnes, Mike Adams, Manager, G. A. Wiggins



BEAT 'EM

CHEER LEADERS



Standing left to right: Sharon Fitzgerald, Vicki Lampley, Ellen Stella, Jane Potts
Kneeling: Jody Harris, Gretchen Van Leer, Judy Pate, Sharon Hall

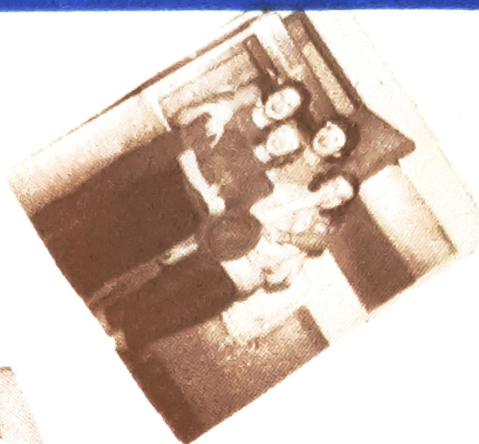
SWEATER GIRLS



Barbara Woodrow, Mary Battle, Letha Doty, Juva Stringer, Phyllis Treece, Cheryl McEndree, Ginger Martin, Jama Holloway



CHEER LEADERS



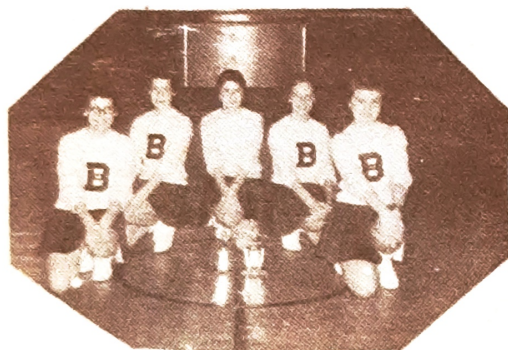
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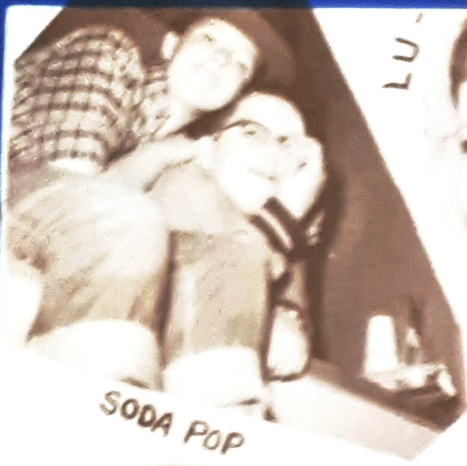


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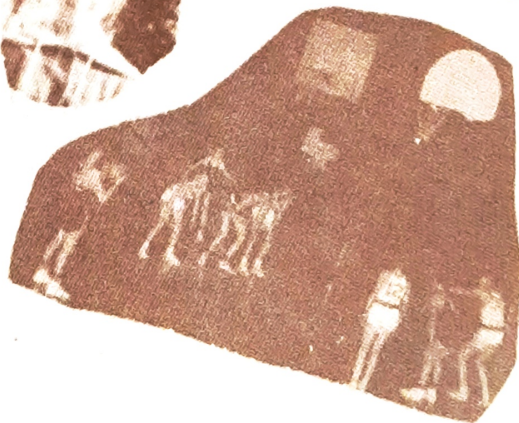
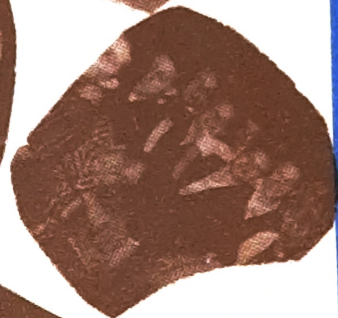


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